# An Introduction to Google Classroom



https://classroom.google.com

#### Classroom Benefits for Teachers:

- automatically creates Drive folders for each assignment
- create and collect assignments paperlessly
- create assignments and share a single document or automatically make a copy for each student.
- see who has or hasn't completed the work
- provide direct, real-time feedback
- Students can easily see what's due, so they can stay on top of their work
- make announcements and start classroom discussions
- create, review, and grade assignments quickly, all in one place

## Classroom Helps Students:

- stay organized with one Drive folder for each class/teacher

- notifies students on class stream when work is assigned and due

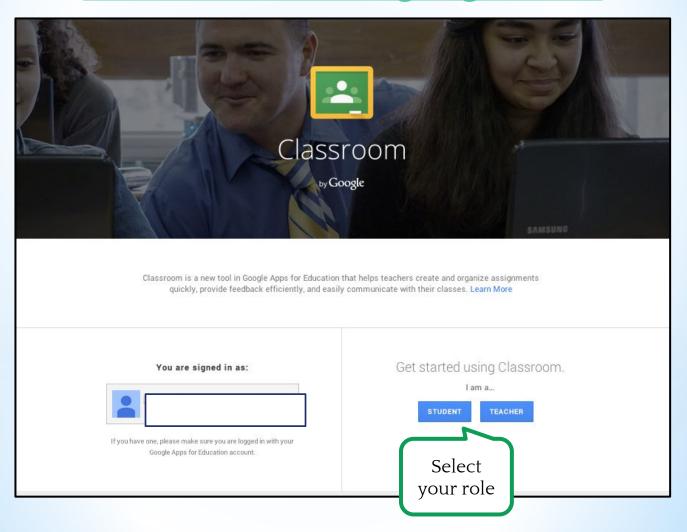
- class materials are automatically filed into folders in Google Drive

- communicate and assist classmates through class discussions

- share resources

#### **Initial Screen**

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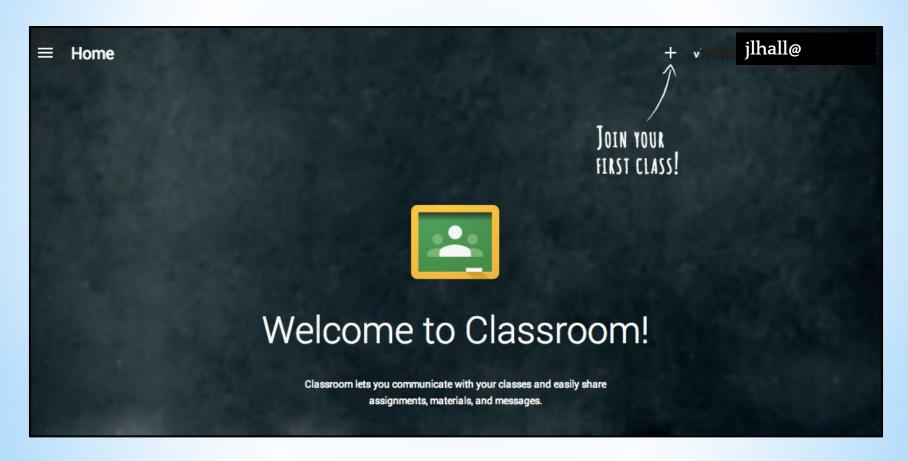
#### Create Your First Class

Teachers have the ability to create a class or join a class as a student.



# Join Your First Class

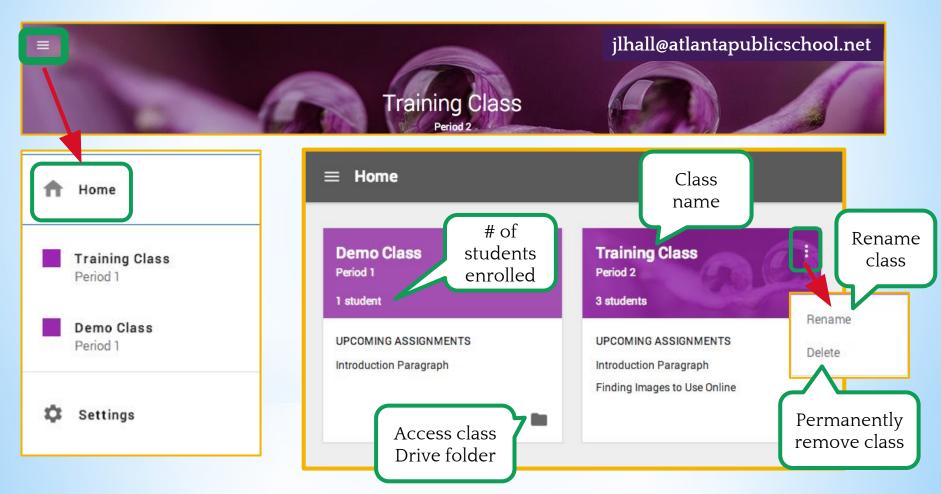
Students only have the ability to join classes.



**Student View** 

#### Classroom Home

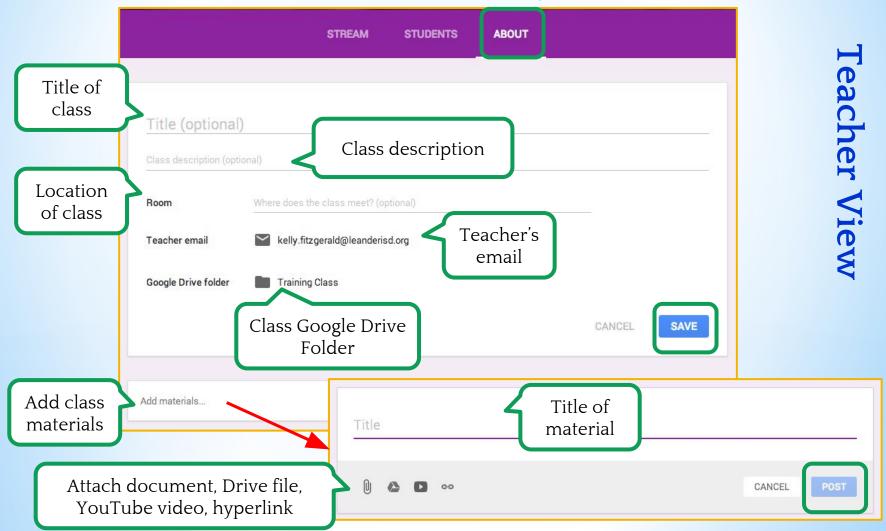
The classroom home displays all classes created.



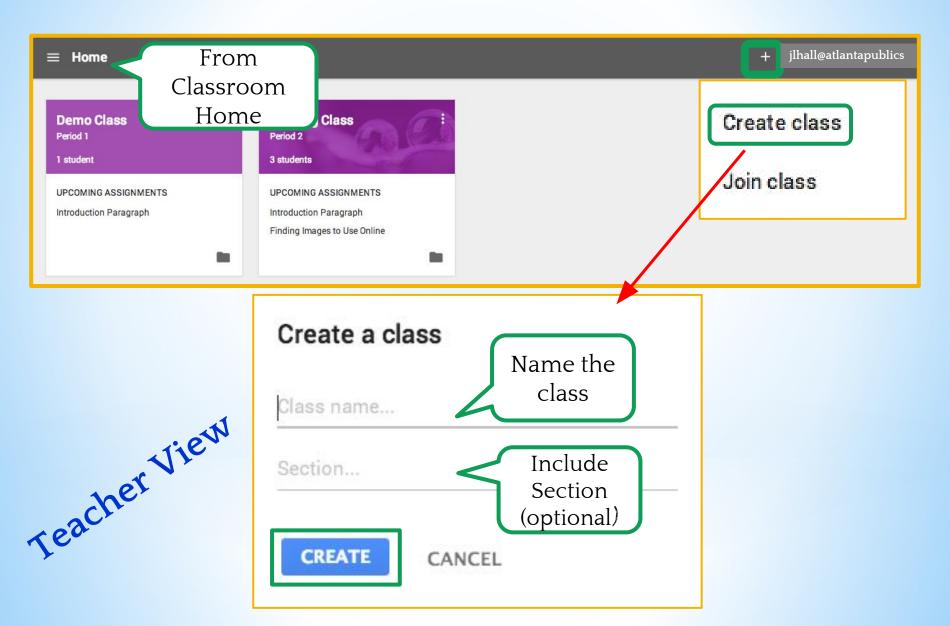
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#### Class About Page

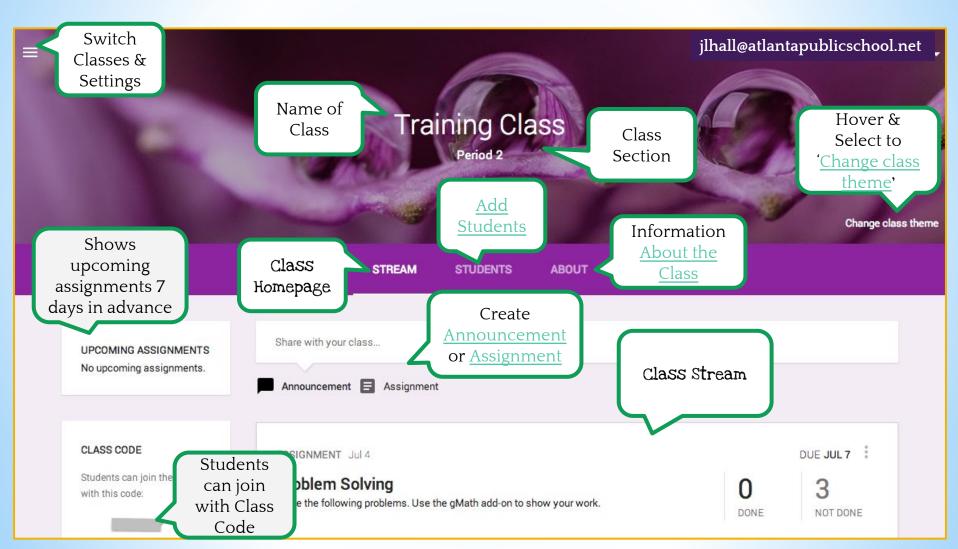
The About page allows you to share information about the class, as well as materials that all students need, such as syllabus or schedule.



#### Create a New Class

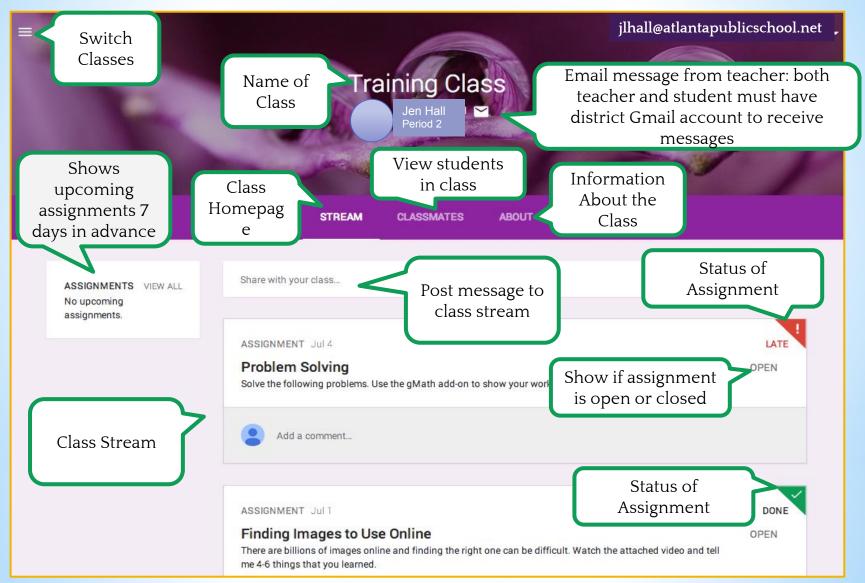


#### Class Homepage



**Teacher View** 

#### Class Homepage



#### **Student View**

#### Change Theme

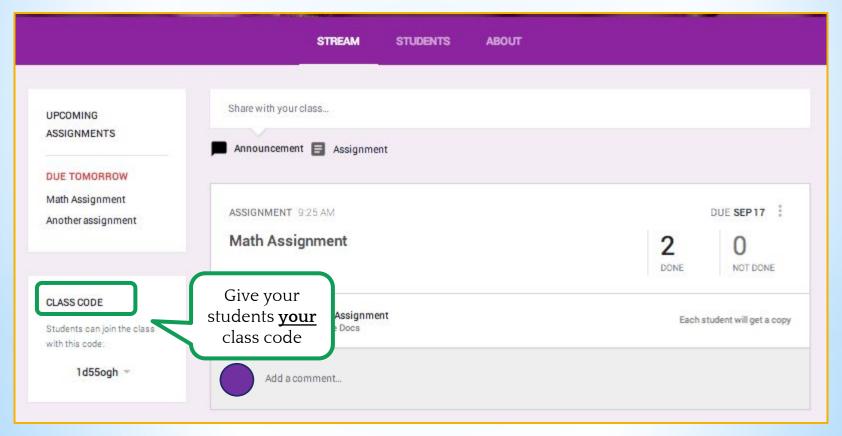


Upload an image from your computer



#### Have Students Sign Up for Class

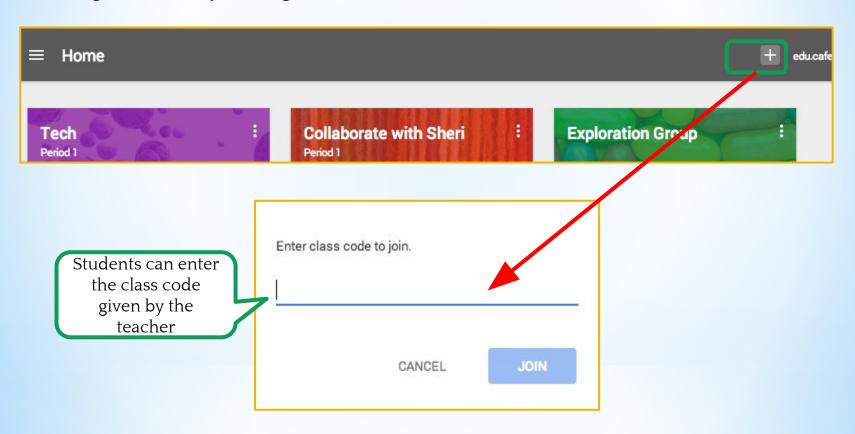
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#### Joining a Class

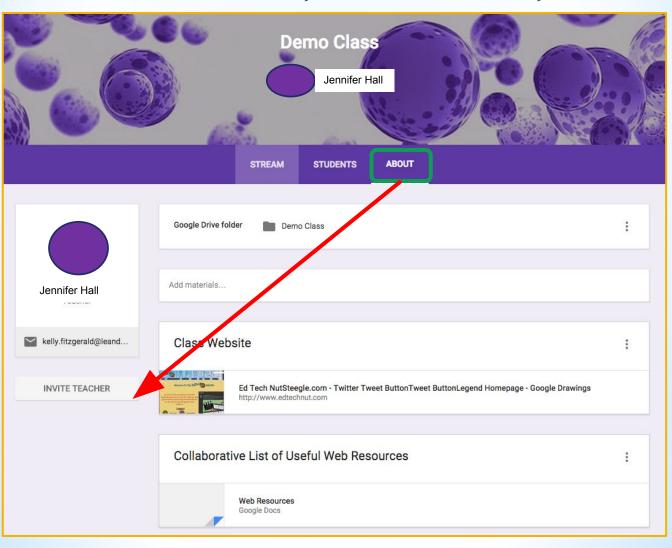
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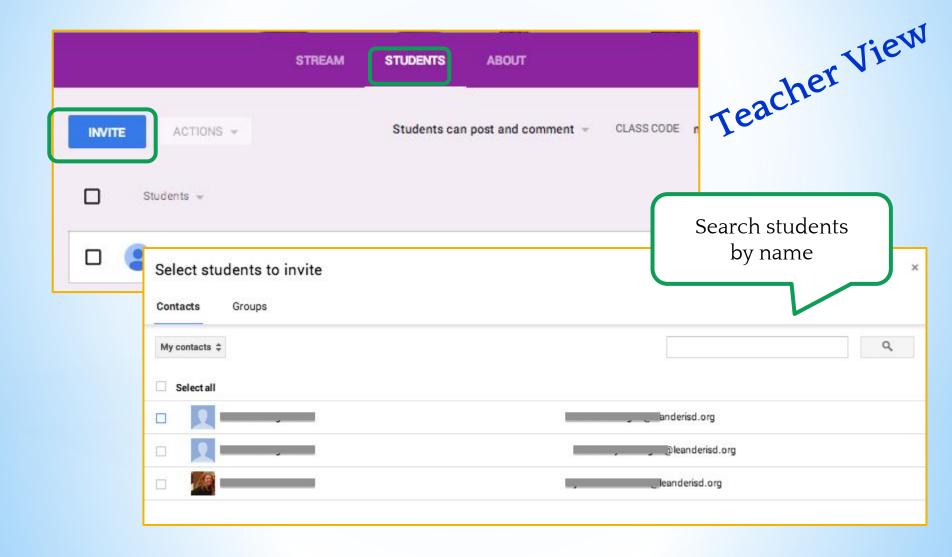
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#### Adding a Co-Teacher

You can add another teacher to your class to make it easy to co-teach.

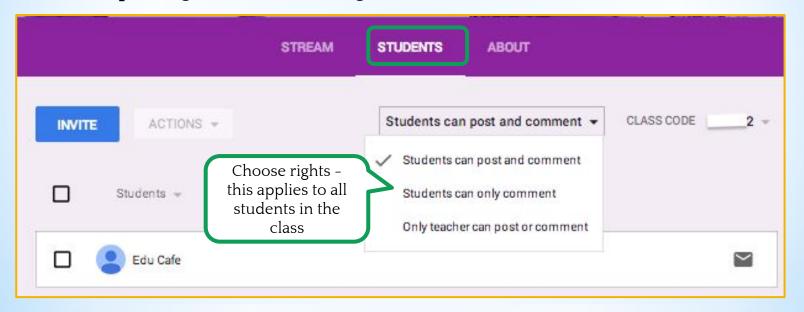


#### Add/Invite Individual Students



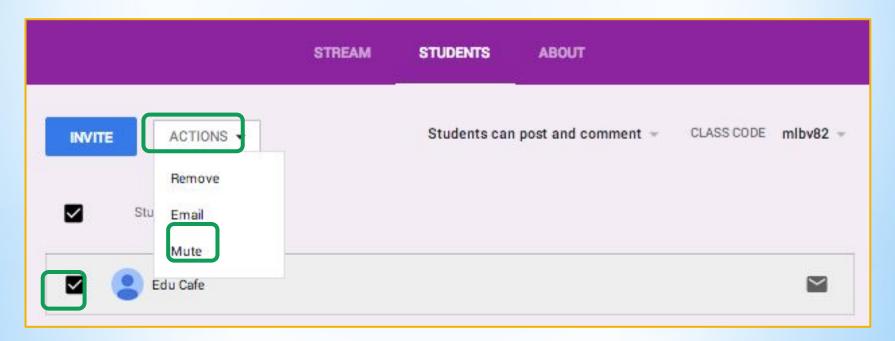
# Choose Posting & Commenting Rights

The teacher has the ability to decide what rights the students have when it comes to posting and commenting on the class stream.



# Restrict Commenting/Post for Individual Students

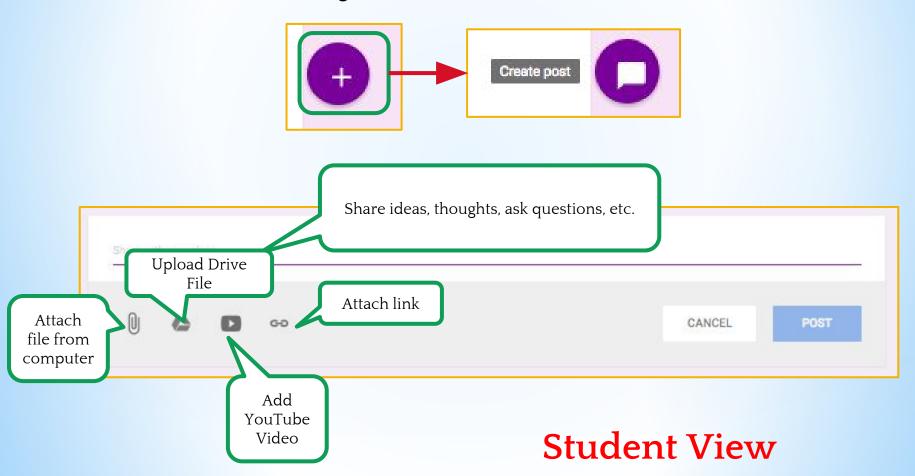
The teacher has the ability to "mute" individual students which will restrict those students from posting and commenting.



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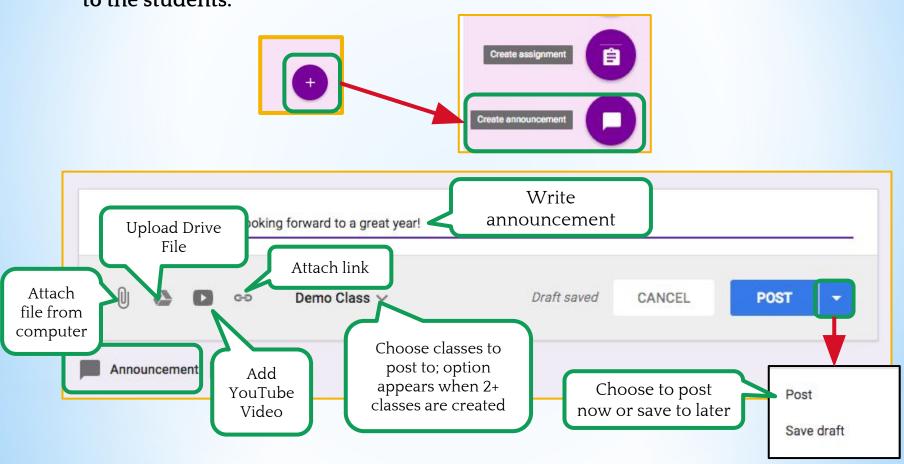
## Sharing with the Class

When permitted, by the teacher, students have the ability to share ideas, thoughts and resources with students.



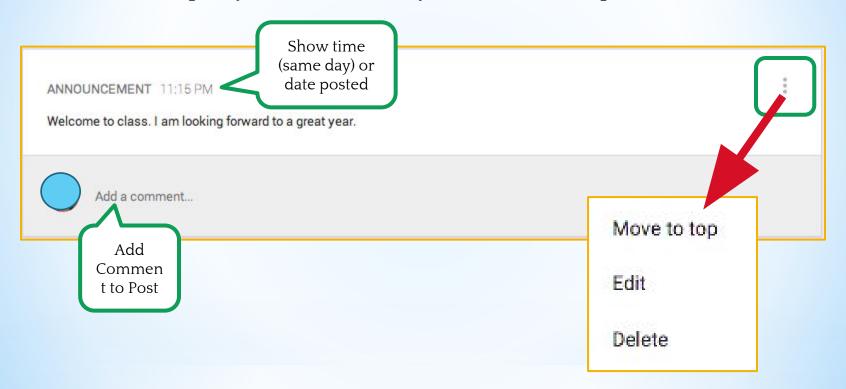
#### Make an Announcement

Announcements are a way for the teacher to pass on important information to the students.



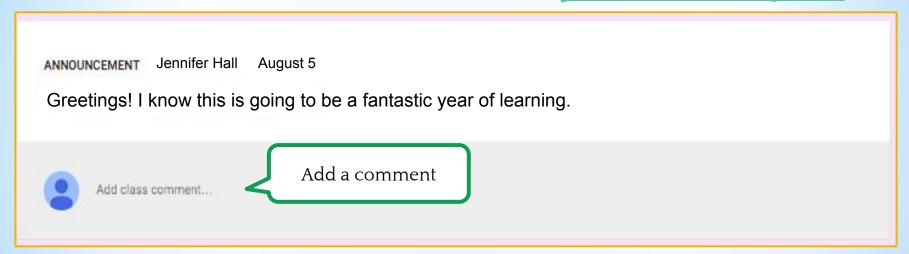
#### Edit an Announcement

The announcement will be displayed on the class stream. Once post you have the ability to move to the top, edit or delete.



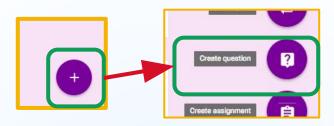
#### Displayed Announcement

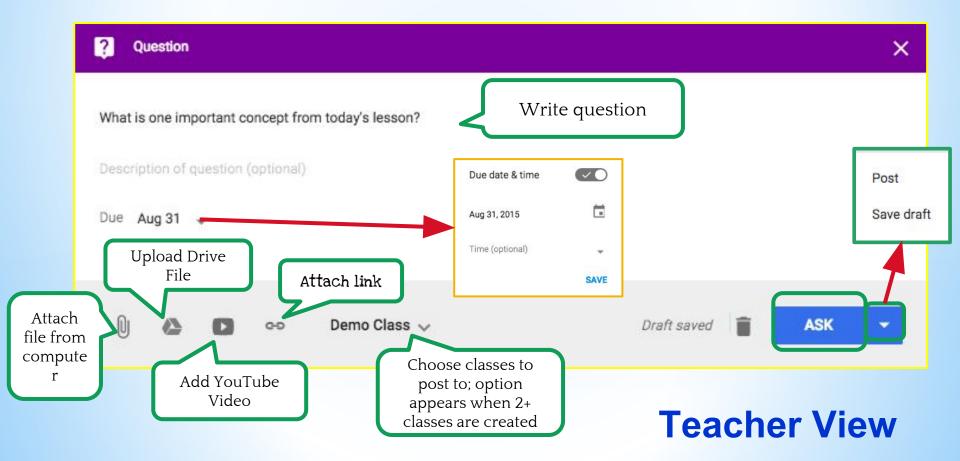
Students can comment on an announcement, if permission has been granted.



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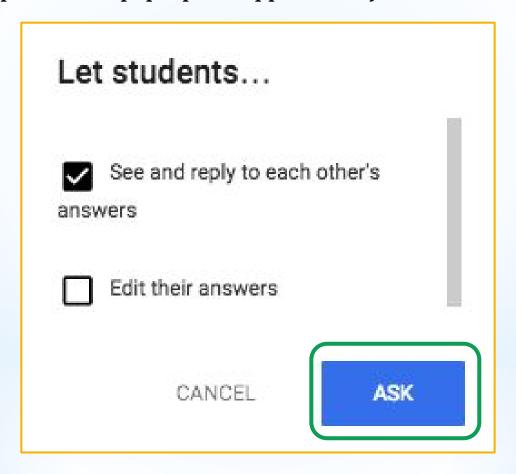
#### Create a Question



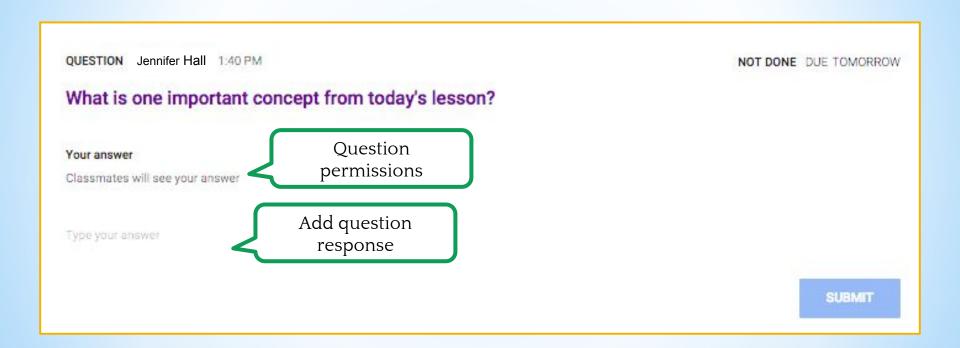


## **Question Permissions**

The teacher can allow students to see other student's posts and/or edit their responses. The pop-up will appear after you select 'Ask'



# Displayed Question



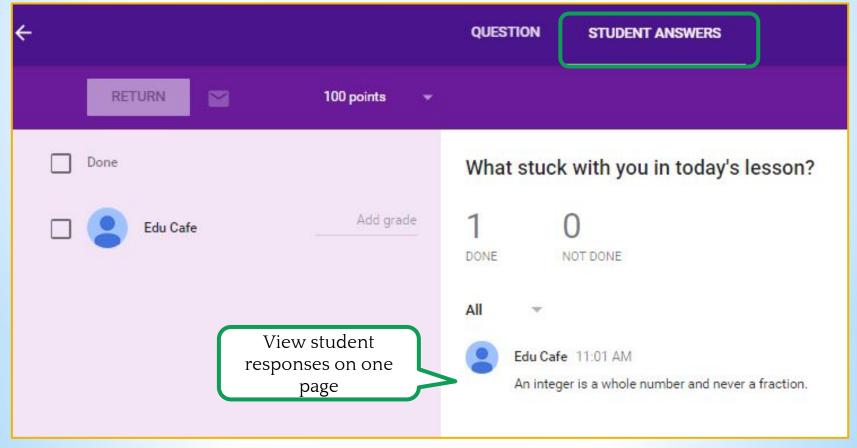
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## **Question Submissions**

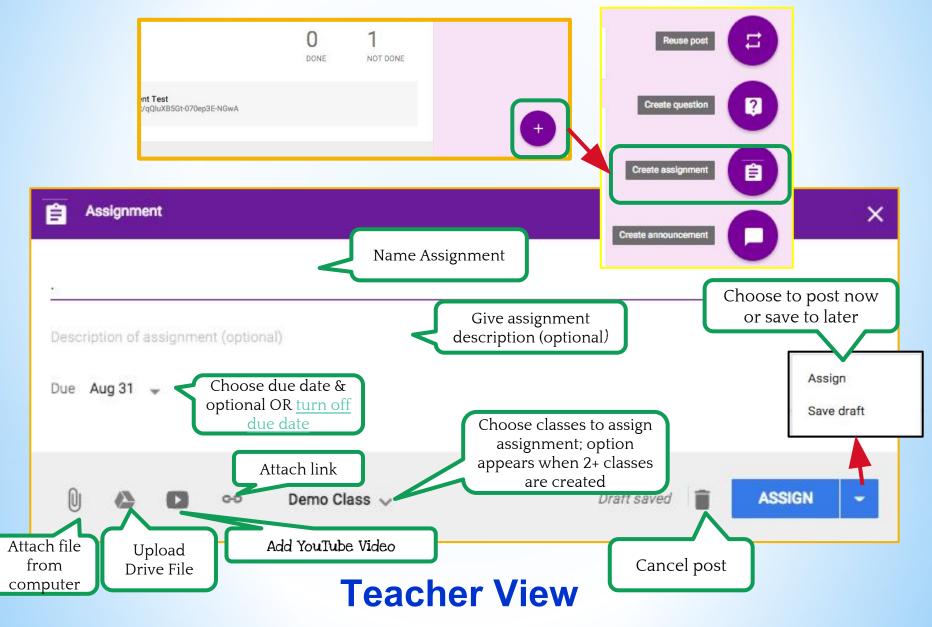
Once a student answers the question it instantly changes him/her to done.

There is no action required for the student.

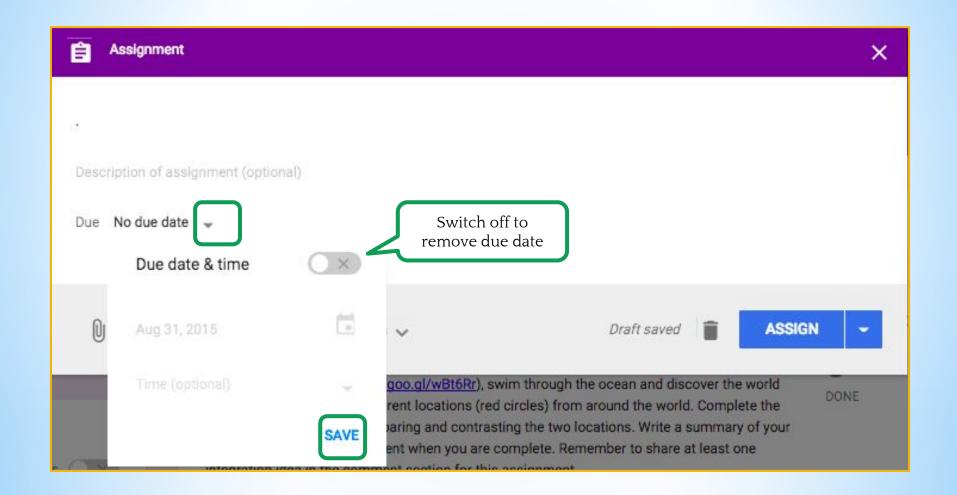
This is a great way for the teacher to see who did and did not complete the question. Access the responses from the question page.



# Make an Assignment

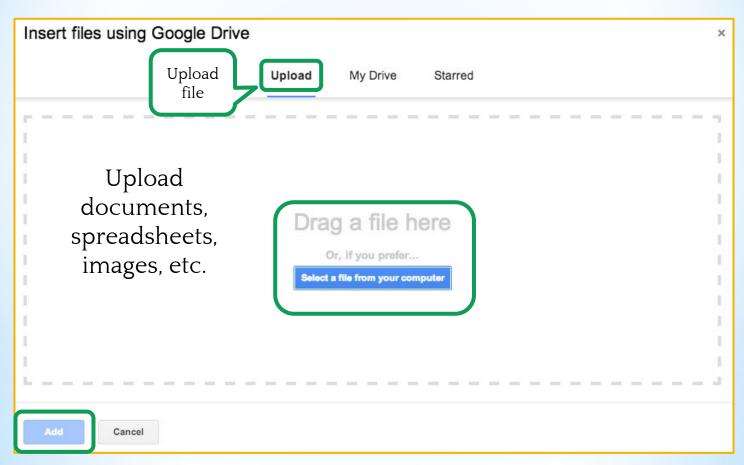


#### Remove Due Date

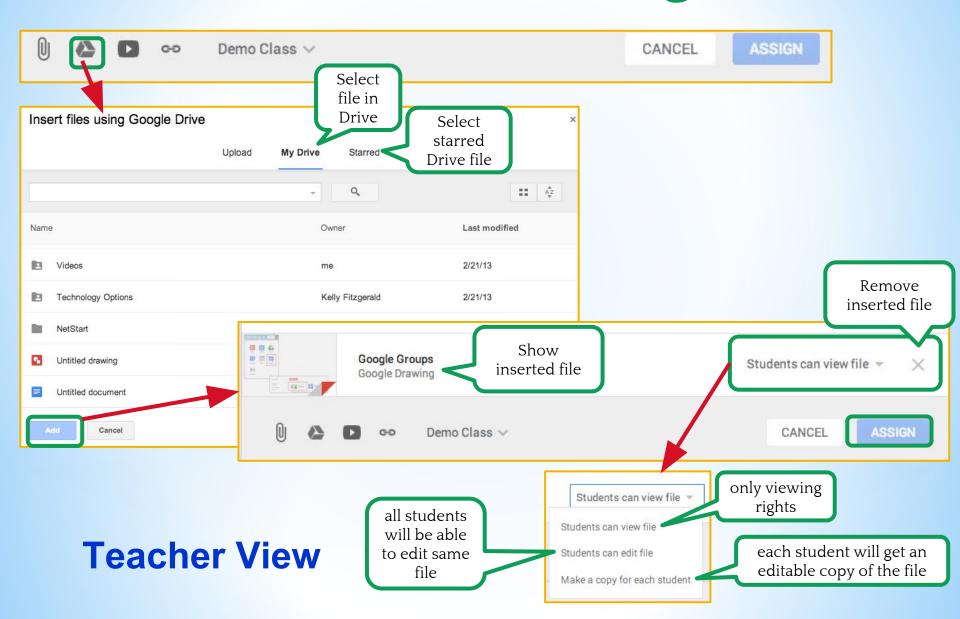


#### Add Attachment to Assignment

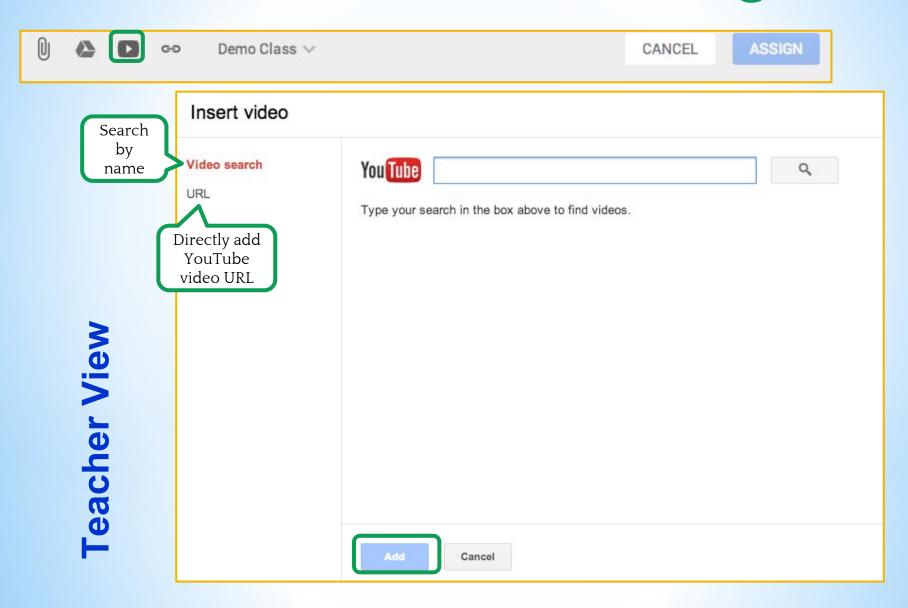




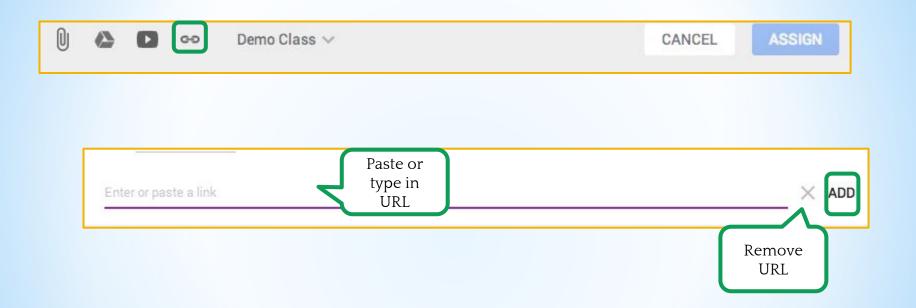
#### Add Drive File to Assignment



#### Add YouTube Video to Assignment



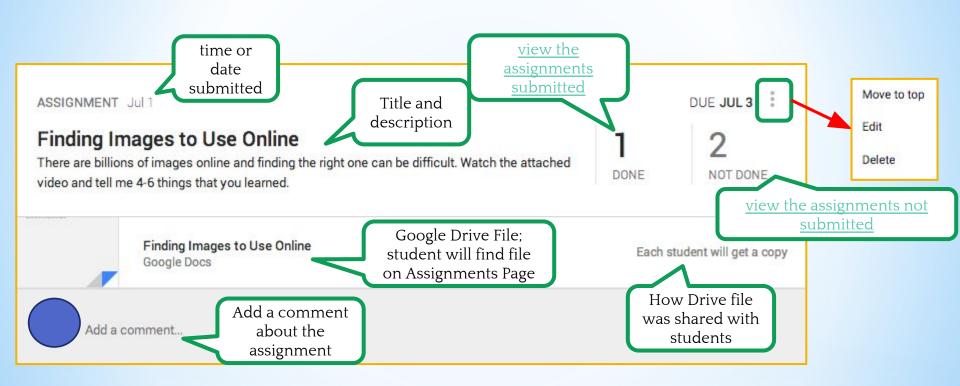
#### Add URL to Assignment



# Displayed Assignment

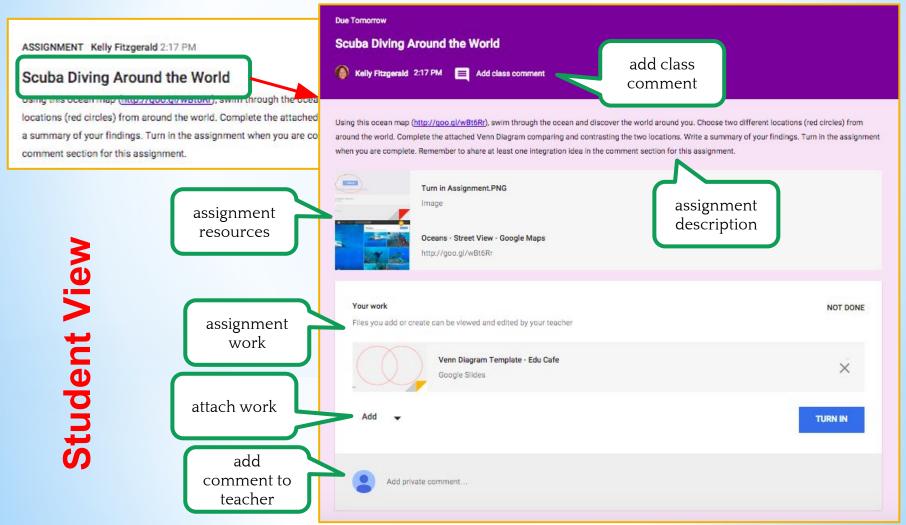


The assignment will be displayed on the class stream.



#### Displayed Assignment

Students need to click on the name of the assignment to see all resources and attached work. Only the resources will be displayed on the stream page.



#### Move Post to the Top of the Stream

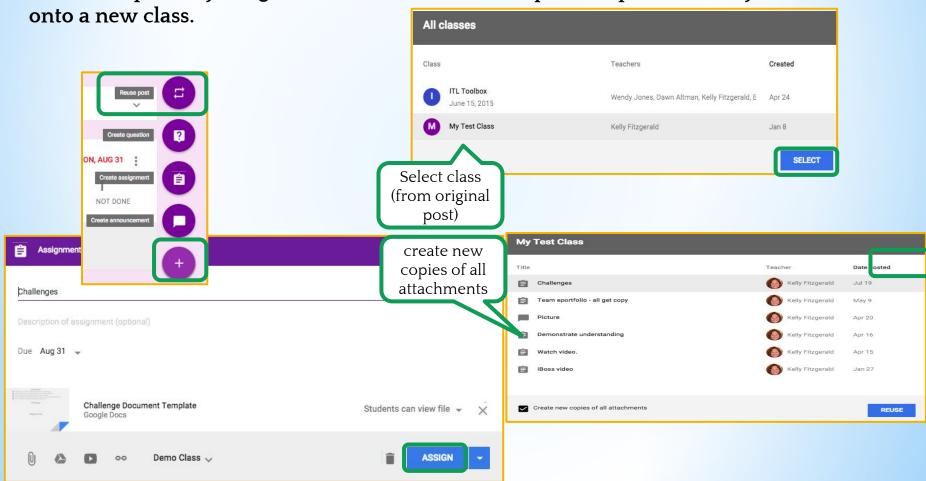
You can move posts that you want students to see to the top of the stream. If there are posts you want students to access all the time, use the About Page to display that information.



**Student View** 

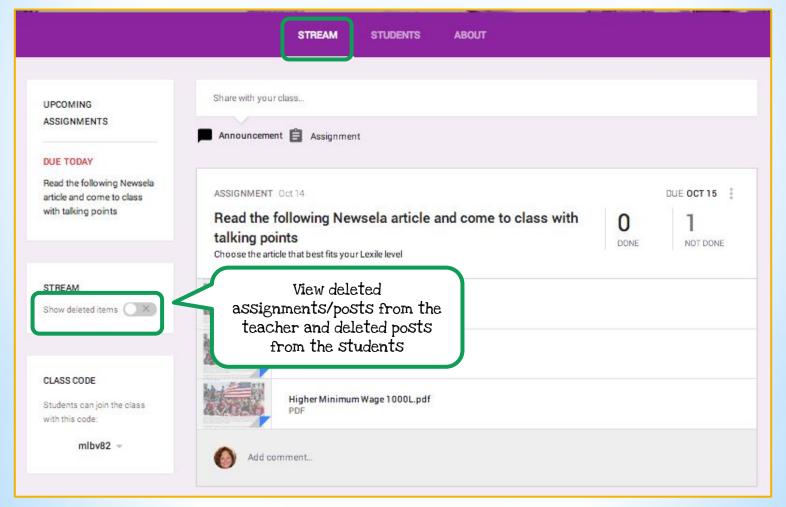
# RePost Assignments, Announcements, Questions

You can repost any assignment, announcement or question post from any class



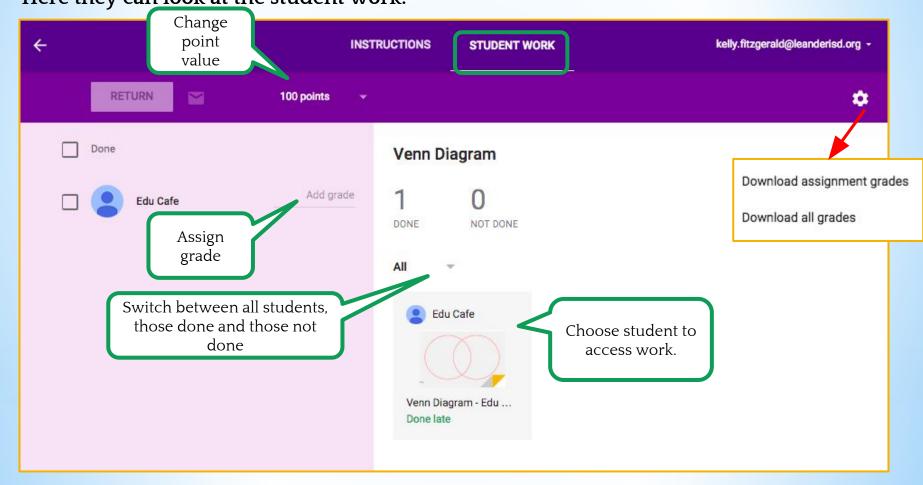
#### View Deleted Items

When you view deleted items they will be grayed out in the stream.
You can not recover deleted items.



# **Access All Student Assignments**

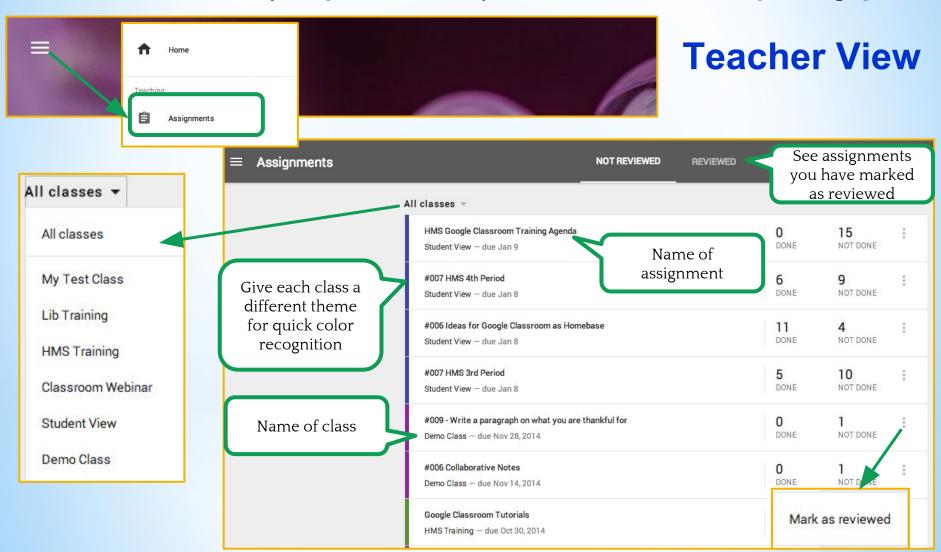
The teacher can click on name of the assignment to access the Assignment Page. Here they can look at the student work.



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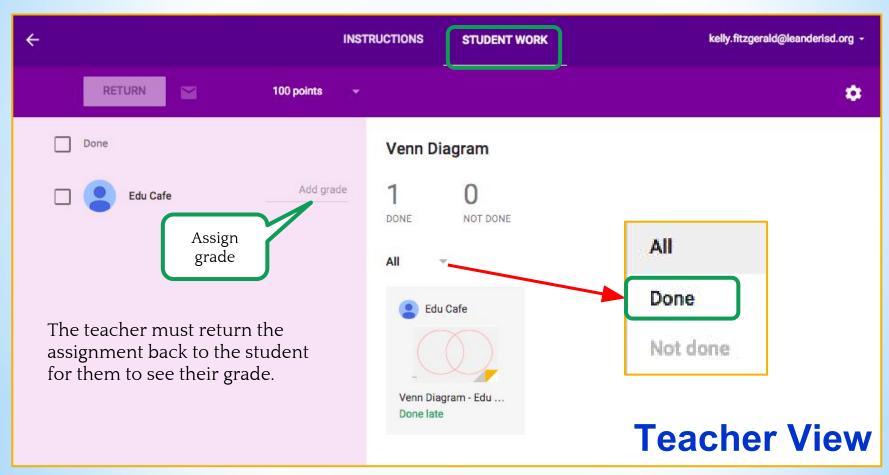
## Teacher Assignment Page

Teachers can access every assignment for every class from the teacher assignment page.



# **Grade Assignments**

Assign grade on the Assignment Status Page.

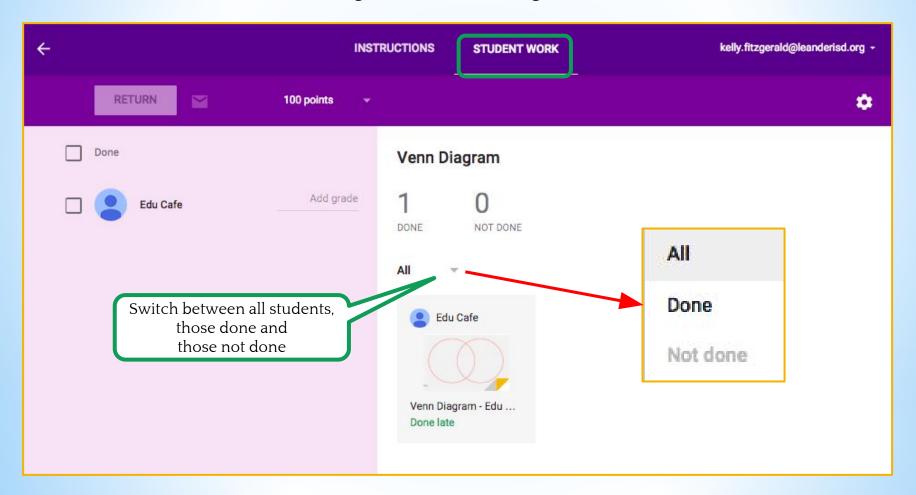


The teacher gets editing rights to the file when the student turns in the assignment.

Once the teacher returns the assignment the rights switch from editing to commenting.

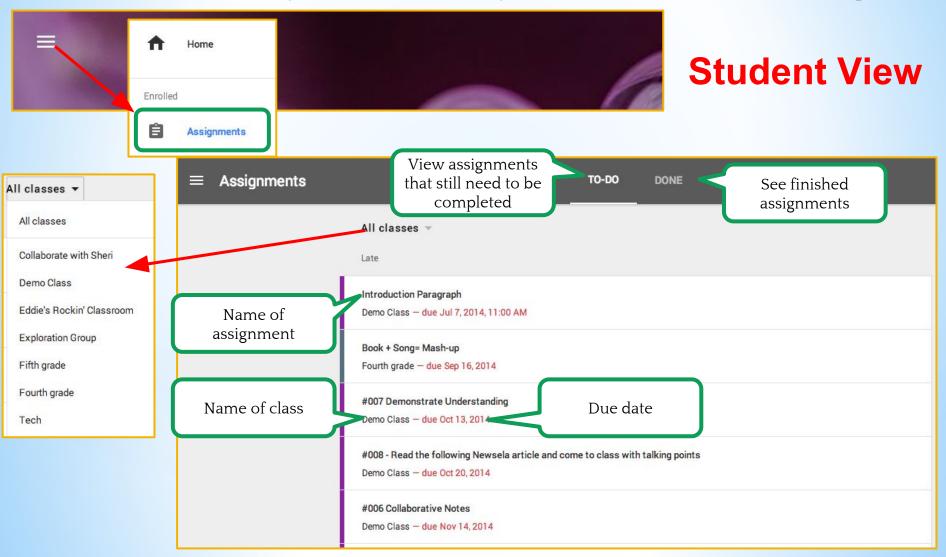
## **Assignment Submissions**

Click on the title of the assignment to see assignment status of each student.



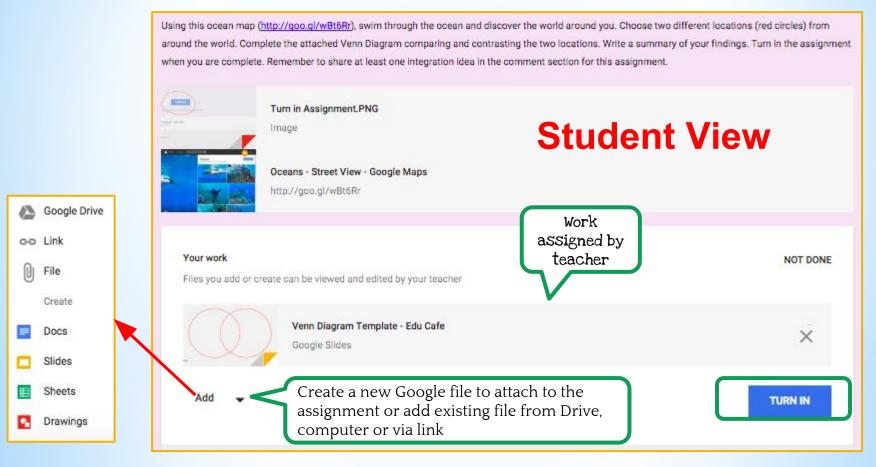
#### Student Assignment Page

Students can access every assignment for every class from the student assignment page.



## Submit an Assignment

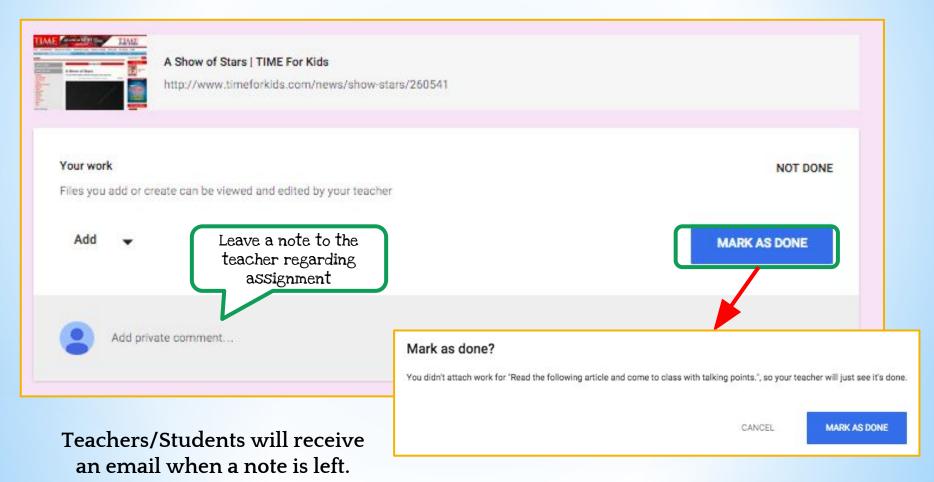
The student can click on the assignment name from the class stream or the assignment sidebar to submit work.



The student will lose editing rights to the Drive file once the assignment is turned in. They have the option to unsubmit the assignment to obtain editing rights again.

### Mark Assignment as Done

Sometimes assignments do not require students to turn in work. Use the 'Mark as Done' button on the assignment page to show you have completed the task.

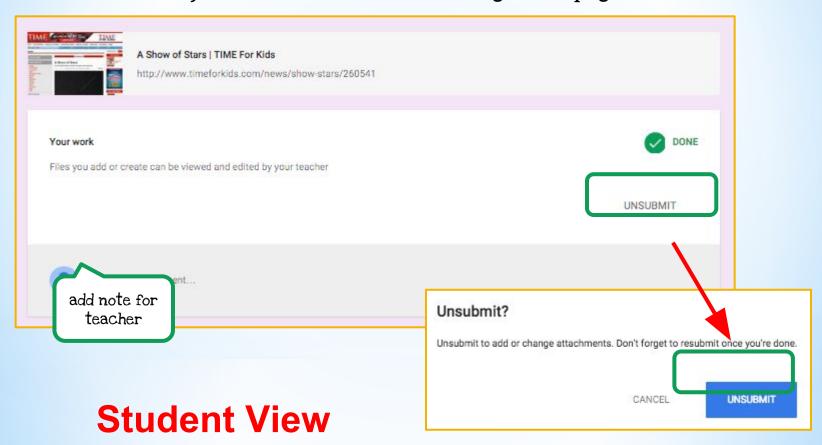


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# Unsubmit an Assignment

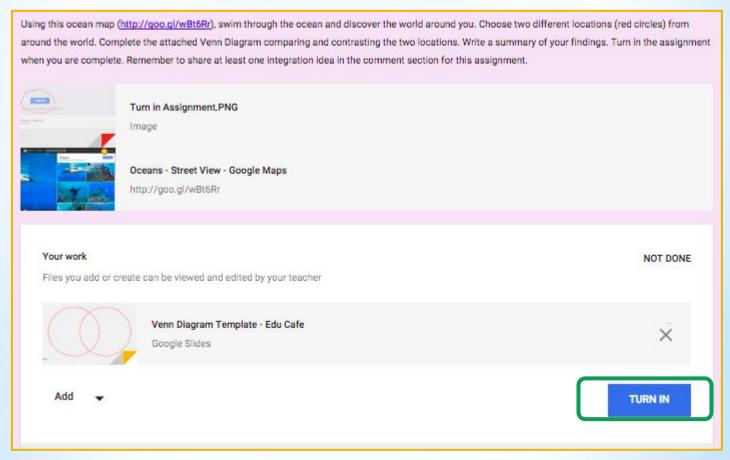
Students can unsubmit an assignment that they have already turned in.

They access this feature on the assignment page.



### Resubmit an Assignment

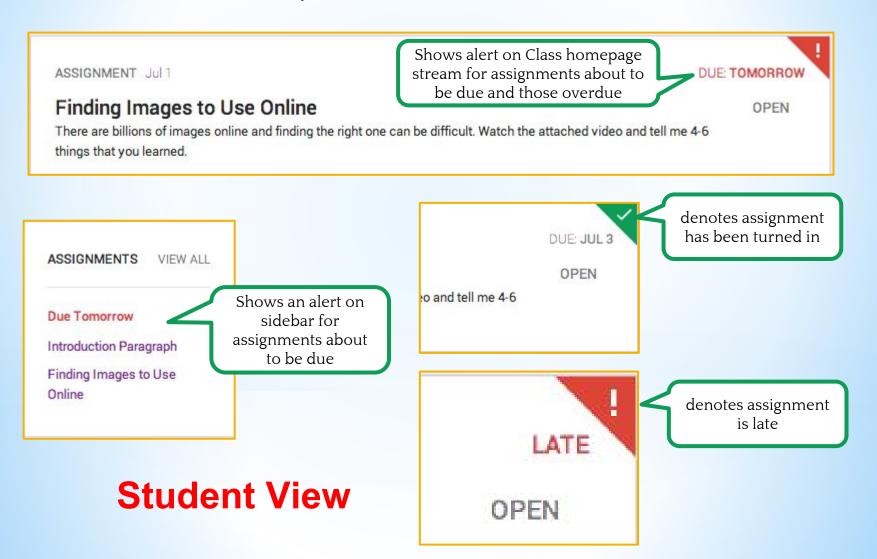
After students have unsubmitted an assignment they can resubmit once changes have been made by selecting 'Turn in' again.



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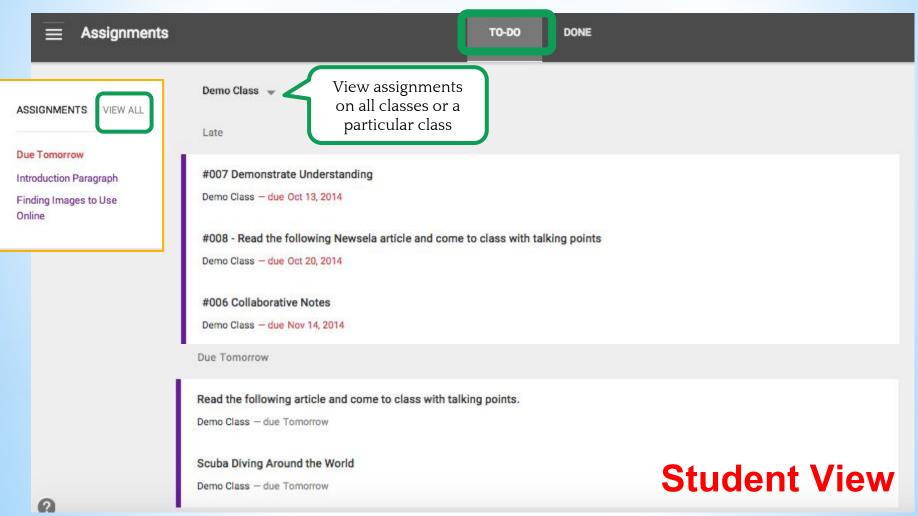
# **Assignment Alerts**

The class stream will notify students when work is about to be due or overdue.



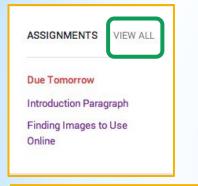
#### View Assignments to be Done

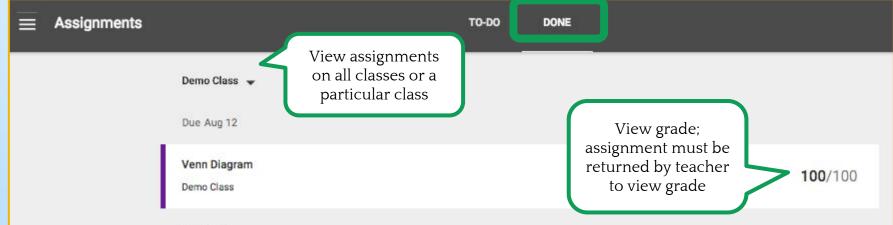
The students can click on the 'View All' link in the Assignments section on the sidebar to gain access to all unsubmitted assignments.



# View Graded Assignments

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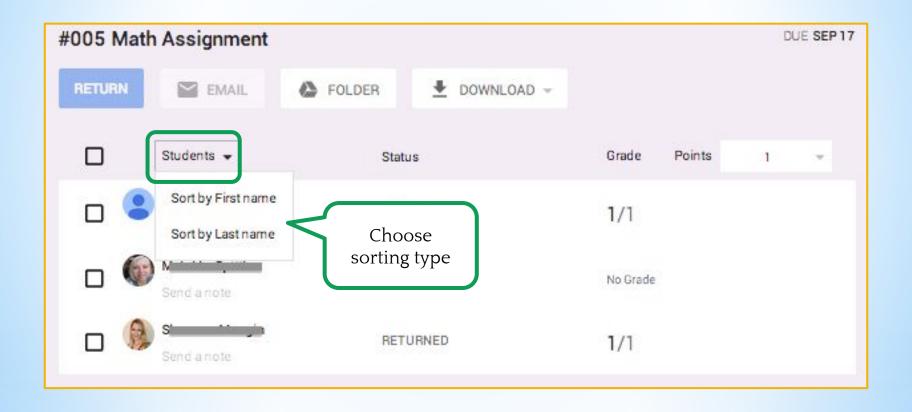




#### **Student View**

#### Sort Students by First or Last Name

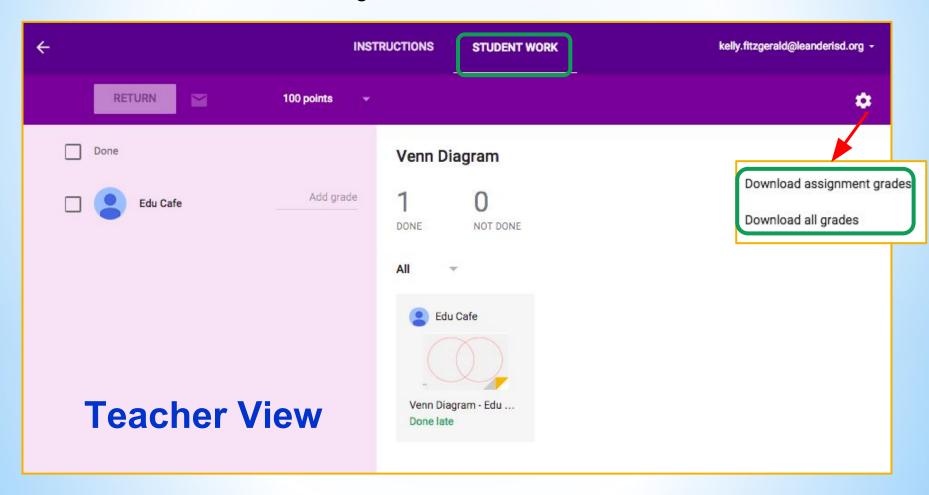
Teachers have the ability to sort students by first or last name to make grading easier.



### **Export Grades**

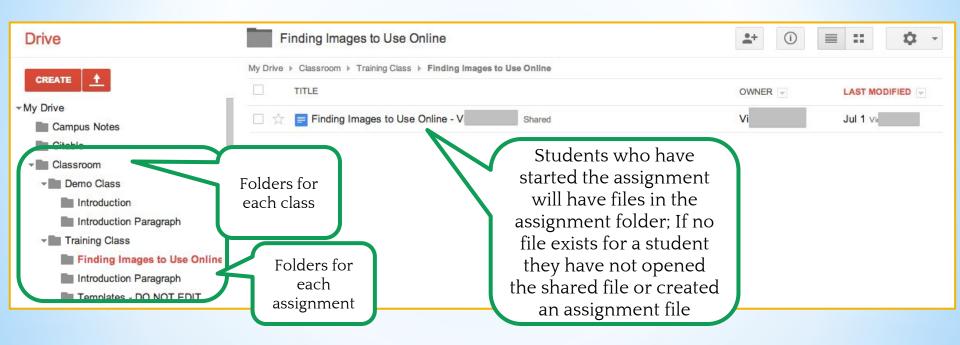
The teacher can export grades to upload into district's gradebook. You can download grades for individual assignments or all assignment grades.

Click on an assignment name to access this feature.



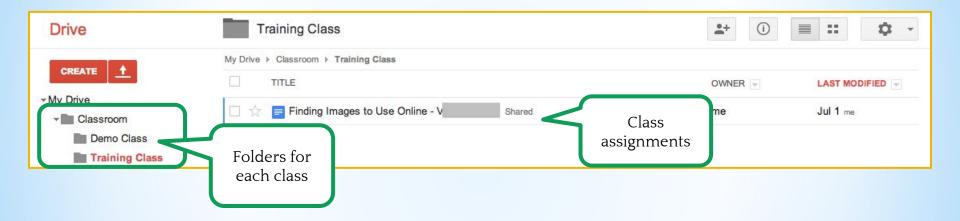
#### Drive Folder(s)

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Classroom automatically creates a folder for each class the student is enrolled.

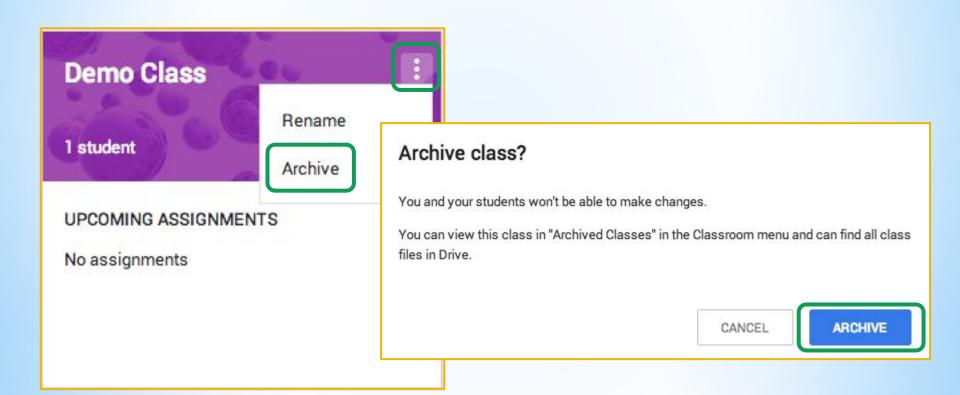


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#### **Archive Classes**

Archive a class once it has finished. Students can view archived classes, but can not make any changes or turn in any assignments.

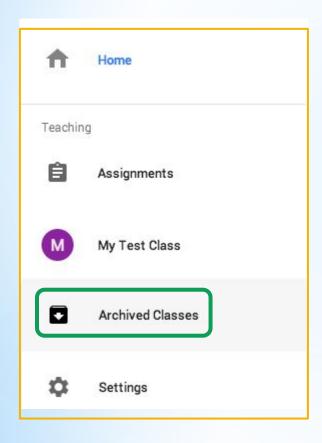
This does not affect the student's ability to access class files in Drive.

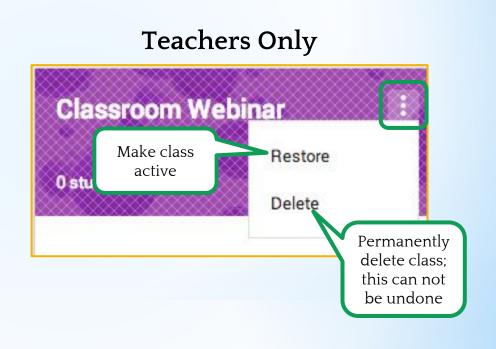


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#### Access an Archived Class

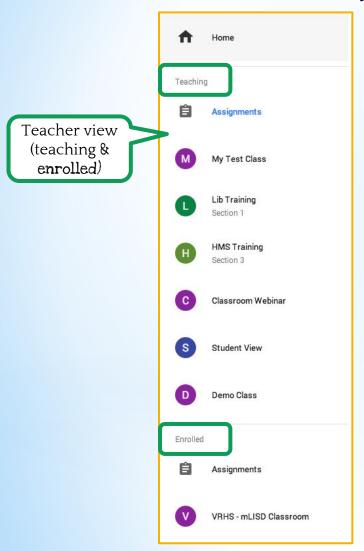
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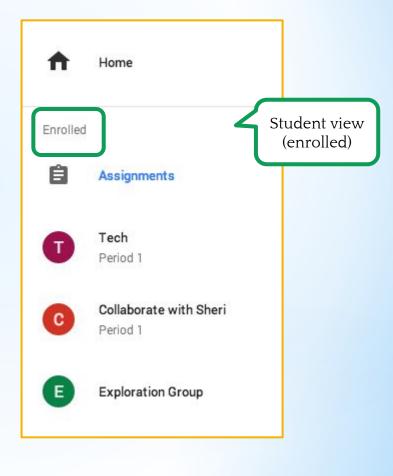




#### **Switch Classes**

You can easily switch between classes.





**Teacher & Student View** 

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